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GENERAL RULE

The following citations are to certain statutes and case law that make reference to privileges or privileged communications. This list is not intended to create any privilege, nor to abrogate any privilege by implication or omission.

- (a) Attorney-Client. (Reserved. See RCW 5.60.060(2).)
- (b) Clergyman or Priest. (Reserved. See RCW 5.60.060(3), 26.44.060, 70.124.060.)
- (c) Dispute Resolution Center. (Reserved. See RCW 7.75.050.)
- (d) Counselor. (Reserved. See RCW 18.19.180.)
- (e) Higher Education Procedures. (Reserved. See RCW 28B.19.120(4).)
- (f) Husband-Wife. (Reserved. See RCW 5.60.060(1), 26.20.071, 26.21.355(8).)
- (g) Interpreter in Legal Proceeding. (Reserved. See RCW 2.42.160; GR 11.1(e).)
- (h) Journalist. (Reserved. See *Senear v. Daily Journal-American*, 97 Wn.2d 148, 641 P.2d 1180 (1982); *State v. Rinaldo*, 102 Wn.2d 749, 689 P.2d 392 (1984).)
- (i) Optometrist-Patient. (Reserved. See RCW 18.53.200, 26.44.060.)
- (j) Physician-Patient. (Reserved. See RCW 5.60.060(4), 26.26.120, 26.44.060, 51.04.050, 69.41.020, 69.50.403, 70.124.060, 71.05.250.)
- (k) Psychologist-Client. (Reserved. See RCW 18.83.110, 26.44.060, 70.124.060.)
- (l) Public Assistance Recipient. (Reserved. See RCW 74.04.060.)
- (m) Public Officer. (Reserved. See RCW 5.60.060(5).)
- (n) Registered Nurse. (Reserved. See RCW 5.62.010, 5.62.020, 5.62.030.)

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